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Dear Sir:

Applicant hereby petitions the Commissioner under 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a) for a three (3) month extension of time for response in the above-identified application for the period required to make the attached response timely. The extension fee for response within the three month period is \$510.00. A Form PTO 2038 and Transmittal Fee Sheet (in duplicate) are attached to complete the total payment of fees herewith. If there are any additional fees due or overpayment please contact the undersigned attorney at 858-623-9470.

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